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(Prosperity Through Freedom)

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Preamble: Our Indian Liberty Vision

"We envision a Bharat where 1.3 billion individuals are free from state coercion, empowered by property rights, and united by voluntary cooperation – not caste, creed, or bureaucracy. True Swaraj begins when the state serves citizens, not controls them."

Core Principles

1. Swa-Niyantran (Self-Ownership):	**Your body, speech, and conscience are inviolable**
2. Sampatti Adhikar (Property Rights):	**Legitimately acquired property is sacred**
3. Sainyojit Samaj (Voluntary Society):	**Progress through cooperation, not compulsion**
4. Shreshtha Sarkar (Minimal State):	**Government limited to defense, justice, and public goods**

1 Economic Freedom: Unleashing Bharat's Entrepreneurial DNA

1.1 Abolish License-Permit Raj 2.0

Action Plan:

- Repeal 50% of compliance laws
- No permits for businesses under 50 Cr turnover

Indian Context: Targets SME harassment by "Inspector Raj" babus.

1.2 Agricultural Liberation

Action Plan:

- Scrap APMC Acts
- Replace fertilizer/power subsidies with Direct Benefit Transfers
- Legalize land leasing nationwide

Indian Context: Frees 50% workforce from mandi monopolies; ends debt traps.

1.3 GST 3.0

Action Plan:

- Two rates: 0% (essentials), 10% (all else)
- Abolish GST Council veto power

Indian Context: Simplifies compliance for 11 million MSMEs.

1.4 Privatize Chronic Loss-Makers

Action Plan:

- Sell Air India, BSNL, MTNL
- Auction 100+ PSUs (NITI Aayog list)

Indian Context: Stops bleeding of 1.7 lakh Cr/year in PSU bailouts.

1.5 Labor Freedom

Action Plan:

- Replace 44 labor laws with one "Voluntary Contract Act"
- End government-recognized strikes

Indian Context: Formalizes 90% informal workers; attracts manufacturing.

2 Individual Rights: Defending Dignity Against State Overreach

2.1 Free Speech & Digital Liberty

Action Plan:

- Repeal UAPA/Sedition laws (IPC 124A)
- Ban internet shutdowns (permanent SC oversight)
- Replace IT Rules 2021 with "Digital Rights Charter"

Indian Context: Protects dissent from authoritarian overreach; ends arbitrary arrests.

2.2 Social Justice Reboot

Action Plan:

- Phase out caste reservations in 15 years

- Replace with need-based scholarships + universal healthcare vouchers
- Decriminalize victimless crimes (Goa Model)

Indian Context: Merit-based equality; ends caste politics and moral policing.

2.3 Police-Judicial Revolution

Action Plan:

- Local "Jan Sunvai Samitis" (citizen boards) to investigate police misconduct
- Private arbitration courts for commercial disputes (¡6 month resolution)

Indian Context: Breaks police-politician nexus; speeds up justice delivery.

3 Governance Decentralization: Real Cooperative Federalism

3.1 Funds-Functions-Functionaries to Panchayats

Action Plan:

- 50% of Central taxes → Directly to ULBs/PRIs
- Local body control over schools, clinics, roads

Indian Context: Empowers village-level democracy; reduces Delhi dependency.

3.2 State Policy Autonomy

Action Plan:

- States set own labor/land/liquor policies
- End centrally sponsored schemes (CSS)

Indian Context: True federalism; allows policy experimentation across states.

3.3 Transparency Mandate

Action Plan:

- Real-time tracking of government spending via blockchain
- Jail for officers delaying RTI ¿7 days

Indian Context: Ends corruption through radical transparency; empowers citizens.

4 Pragmatic Public Goods Delivery

Sector	Libertarian Solution	Replaces
Health	• Deregulate medical seats • Allow nurse-run clinics • Health Savings Accounts	Medical Council cartel, Crumbling PHCs
Education	• School vouchers (15k/child/yr) • No RTE mandates on private schools	Rote-learning govt schools
Pensions	• Opt-out of EPFO • Portable NPS accounts	Crony-controlled EPF funds
Environment	• Tradeable pollution permits • Private forest stewardship	Ineffective bans, Clearance raj

5 Security & Exceptional Statism

5.1 Defense Modernization

Action Plan:

- Open defense R&D to private sector
- Drone-swarm R&D fund

Indian Context: Breaks DRDO monopoly; accelerates indigenous defense tech.

5.2 Border Pragmatism

Action Plan:

- Simplify gun licensing in J&K/Naxal belts
- Hire private security for critical infrastructure

Indian Context: Empowers citizens in conflict zones; efficient security solutions.

5.3 Anti-Corruption Arsenal

Action Plan:

- Confiscate 200% assets of convicted officials

- Whistleblower bounty (10% of recovery)

Indian Context: Strong deterrent against corruption; incentivizes transparency.

6 Transition Roadmap: Bharat Mukti Yojana

Timeline	Key Initiatives
Year 1	• Pilot agricultural deregulation in 5 states • GST simplification via ordinance
Year 2	• Phase 1 privatization (8 PSUs) • Launch voucher schemes in 10 districts
Year 5	• Full repeal of APMC/essential commodities acts • End income tax for ¡25 lakh earners
Safety Nets	• Retrain 1 million babus for private sector • Direct cash for displaced PSU workers

7 Addressing Indian Critiques

Critique	Our Response
"But India needs welfare!"	Cash transfers ¿ leaky PDS (saves 40k Cr/year in theft)
"Markets exploit the poor!"	Competition lowers prices (e.g., telecom deregulation)
"Reservations are essential!"	Equality before law ¿ caste-based patronage
"Private sector is corrupt!"	Cronyism thrives on regulations (license-permit-quota raj)

Electoral Pledge

"We promise to repeal 10 obsolete laws for every new one passed.
Your freedom will expand by 5% yearly."

Symbol: Free Bird (unchained from License Raj)

Slogan: "Azadi Se Samriddhi" (Prosperity Through Freedom)

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